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For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 15, 1893. 1515

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Hongkong, November 6, 1893. 247

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Hongkong, May 24, 1893. 47

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, October 19, 1893. 880

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JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, February 4, 1893. 223

## Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE LONG RANGE CUP will be shot for on SATURDAY, the 6th Instant. Ranges, 700 and 800 yards. Time, 2.45 p.m.

ED. ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, January 2, 1894. 9

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company, Cornhill House, on FRIDAY, the 12th day of January, 1894, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th September, 1893, and for the election of Directors and Auditors.

By Order, A. O'D. GOURDIN, Secretary.

Hongkong, December 30, 1893. 2239

## KOWLOON HOTEL.

THIS HOTEL will be REMOVED on the 1st of JANUARY next, to the PLEASANTLY SITUATED and COMMODIOUS Premises, formerly known as the "Kowloon Club," which will be thoroughly renovated and refurnished.

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L. M. LOBO, Manager.

Hongkong, December 20, 1893. 2190

## TUCK LOONG.

ON the 28th Instant, TUCK LOONG will REMOVE from 16 and 18, D'AGUIAR STREET, to Nos. 6 and 8, LYDNEY TERRACE.

Hongkong, December 28, 1893. 2223

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Hongkong, July 24, 1893. 1287

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Hongkong, January 2, 1894. 1

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Hongkong, November 13, 1893. 985

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Hongkong, December 29, 1893. 2232

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R. TUCKER, Manager.

Hongkong, October 21, 1893. 1847

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For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned, or to the SECRETARY at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.

R. ISHERWOOD, Manager, Mount Austin Hotel.

Hongkong, October 3, 1893. 1793

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named:—

FOR LONDON via MARSEILLES, Malacca, About 9th Jan. Freight or Passage.

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SHANGHAI, Malacca, About 15th Jan. Freight or Passage.

LONDON via MARSEILLES, Malacca, About 16th Jan. Freight or Passage.

LONDON, &c., &c., Noon, 18th Jan. See Special Advertisement.

JAPAN, &c., &c., Noon, 19th Jan. Freight or Passage.

SHANGHAI, Canton, About 20th Jan. Freight or Passage.

LONDON via MARSEILLES, Bombay, About 30th Jan. Freight or Passage.

For further Particulars, apply to P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, January 5, 1894. 40

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61, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, November 11, 1893. 1949

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Hongkong, December 9, 1893. 2112

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE BUFFET and the LADIES' Waiting Rooms adjoining will be Open to the Public in a few days.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

Hongkong, December 13, 1893. 2137

ALDOBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, QUEEN'S ROAD, Hongkong, August 18, 1891. 1612

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS AND CURIOS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the SUI-HING-LOONG CURIO SHOP, Peking, to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY, the 6th January, 1894, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Room, Duddell Street,—

(Just received from the North), A VERY FINE COLLECTION OF OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS AND CURIOS, comprising:—

A VARIETY OF PORCELAIN in BLUE and WHITE, FIVE-COLORS and OTHER DECORATIONS, OLD LAQUE, JADE, BRONZES and CLOSURES of the MING DYNASTY, and the REGIONS of KANGHI, K'EN-LUNG to HONG MODERN DATES, SCARVES, CARVINGS, SILK EMBROIDERY and OTHER CURIOS, ETC., ETC., ETC.

At the Same Time will be sold A VERY FINE LOT OF OLD JAPANESE TEMPLE BROCADES.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale. Lots on view from Friday, the 5th January.

Terms of Sale.—As customary.

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, December 30, 1893. 2242

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, the 9th January, 1894, at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Room, Queen's Road,—

SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising:—

CUSTOM PAPER-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SOFA.

MARBLE-TOP CENTRE and SIDE TABLES. CHINESE-PAINTED, PICTURES and ORNAMENTS.

CARPETS and HEARTH RUGS.

EXTENSIVE DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD with BEVELLED GLASS CASE, and DINING WAGONS, CHESTON, GLASS, BOOK CASE and WRITING TABLES.

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DOUBLE BRASS BEDSTEAD, DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BEDSTEPS.

DOUBLE and SINGLE WARDROBES with BEVELLED GLASS DOORS, MARBLE-TOP BUREAU with BEVELLED GLASS, and MARBLE-TOP WASHSTAND.

&c., &c., &c.

Terms of Sale.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 4, 1894. 30

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from H.M. NAVAL STOREKEEPER, to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY, the 10th January, 1894, at Noon, at H.M. Naval Yard,—

SUNDRY NAVAL, VICTUALLING AND MEDICAL CONDEMNED STORES, comprising:—

Old IRON, CHAIN CABLE, PAWER STUFF, RAGS, CANNYAS, HORSES and GOATINGS.

&c., &c., &c.

Terms of Sale.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 4, 1894. 31

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Iron, Captain R. SCHROEDER, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Cargo will be admitted after the Goods have been landed into the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undischarged after the 11th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be expunged into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be collected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 2, 1894. 23

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Wingung having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 3rd Inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

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